



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/937,263
Applicant(s) : Ashton
Filed : September 24, 2001
Title : Storage System
TC/A.U. : 2125
Examiner : M. N. Von Buhr
Conf. No. : 6594
Docket No. : CM2094
Customer No. : 27752

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents

P. O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows:

- ☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$
☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$
☒ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1,020.00

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 16-2480.

Respectfully submitted,

THE PROCTER & GAMBLE COMPANY

By 
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**FREE TRANSMITTAL
for FY 2005**Patent fees are subject to annual revision.
Effective December 8, 2004**Complete if Known**

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| First Named Inventor | Ashton |
| Examiner Name | M. N. Von Buhr |
| Art Unit | 2125 |
| Attorney Docket No. | CM2094 |

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)1,020.00**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

1. [X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees submitted on this form, credit any over payments, and charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application to:

Deposit Account Number: 16-2480

Deposit Account Name: The Procter & Gamble Company

FEE CALCULATION**2. BASIC FILING FEE - Large Entity**

| FILING FEE | SEARCH FEE | EXAMINATION FEE |
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Application

| Type | | | | Fee Paid |
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| Utility | (\$300) | (\$500) | (\$200) | (Total = \$1000) <input type="checkbox"/> |
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| Design | (\$200) | (\$100) | (\$130) | (Total = \$430) <input type="checkbox"/> |
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| Reissue | (\$300) | (\$500) | (\$600) | (Total = \$1400) <input type="checkbox"/> |
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| Provisional filing fee | | | | (Total = \$200) <input type="checkbox"/> |
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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE:

Sheets of Spec and Drawings ☐
(\$250 for each 50 sheets in excess of 100, except for
sequence and program listings)

SUBTOTAL (2)+(3) (\$)☐**4. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE:**

| | Extra Claims | Fee from Below | Fee Paid |
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| Total Claims <input type="checkbox"/> - 20** = <input type="checkbox"/> x | <input type="checkbox"/> | = | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Independent Claims <input type="checkbox"/> - 3** = <input type="checkbox"/> x | <input type="checkbox"/> | = | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Multiple Dependent claims: | <input type="checkbox"/> | = | <input type="checkbox"/> |

** or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below

Fee Description

Claims in excess of 20 (\$50 per claim)

Independent claims in excess of 3 (\$200 per claim)

Multiple dependent claim, if not paid (\$360)

**Reissue: each independent claim over 3 and more than in the
original patent (\$200 per claim)**Reissue claims: each claim over 20 and more than original patent
(\$50 per claim)**SUBTOTAL (4) (\$)**☐**FEE CALCULATION (continued)****5. ADDITIONAL FEES**

| Fee Description | | Fee Paid |
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| Extension for reply within 1 st month | (\$120) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Extension for reply within 2 nd month | (\$450) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Extension for reply within 3 rd month | (\$1,020) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Extension for reply within 4 th month | (\$1,590) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Extension for reply within 5 th month | (\$2,160) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Information Disclosure Statement fee | (\$180) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 37 CFR 1.16(e) Late Oath/Declaration (nonprovisional) | (\$130) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 37 CFR 1.17 (q) Missing Parts (provisional) | (\$50) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Non-English specification | (\$130) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Notice of Appeal | (\$500) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Filing a brief in support of an appeal | (\$500) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Request for oral hearing | (\$1,000) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Acceptance of unintentionally delayed claim for priority under 35 U.S.C. 119, 120, 121, or 365 (a) or (c) | (\$1,370) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other: | | <input type="checkbox"/> |

SUBTOTAL(5) (\$) [1,020]**SUBMITTED BY**Name (Print/Type) **Erich D. Hemm**Registration No.
(Attorney/Agent)**47,286****Complete (if applicable)**

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Signature

Date

June 7, 2005

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.17. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.